

**Supplementary table 2: Demographic and clinical characteristics of newborns screening positive and with diagnostic confirmation of spinal muscular atrophy.**

\*4*SMN2*: This infant was screened with 3 copies of *SMN2* on qPCR (on DBS). Diagnostic confirmation by ddPCR revealed 4 copies of *SMN2*

\*\* Age at diagnostic confirmation is equivalent to time from birth to obtaining *SMN1* diagnostic result.

Participants	
n = 21	
<b>Sex</b>	
Female	10 (48 %)
Male	11 (52 %)
<b><i>SMN2</i> copy number</b>	
2	12 (57.2 %)
3	8 (38 %)
*4	1 (4.8%)
<b>Age at screening result</b>	3 (2-15), 3.28
<b>**Age at diagnostic confirmation</b> (days) Median, (range), SD	15 (10-23), 3.84
<b>Age at therapeutic intervention</b> (days) Median, (range), SD	25 (15-39), 7.46

